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## School Census Shows Increase.

At the recent meeting of the Board of Education, Mrs. Newton Clark, Truant Officer, who has been engaged in taking the Paris school census, filed her report, which is considered the most accurate ever taken, shows some interesting statistics. The total number of children between the school age of 6 and 20 years is 1,967, as follows: White, males, 499; white, females, 542; colored, males, 403; colored, females, 523.

White females outnumber white males by 43, while colored females outnumber the colored males by 129.

White children outnumber colored children as follows: Total white, 1,041; colored, 926, or a difference in favor of the whites of 115.

Compared with 1906 the census shows an increase of 111 children.

Figuring upon the basis that the school children represent one-fifth of the total population, Paris now boasts of a population of 9,835, or an increase over 1906 of 555.

## Handbags And Purses.

In order to close out our large stock we are offering handbags and purses at greatly reduced prices.

14-2t PARIS BOOK STORE.

## Great Improvement.

When the city hands finish the work now in progress on Eighth street, it will indeed be a great improvement. We understand a number of concrete pavements will also be laid on this street.

## Rent Receipts Converted Into Real Estate.

Why not turn your rent receipts into real estate. For plan see representative of Standard Trust Company, at Fordham Hotel, Tuesdays and Fridays, from 1 to 7 p. m. 10-tf

## Sounds Like Bev.

Mr. Sim Cook, a farmer of near Hutchison, this county, had a valuable brood mare to foal a colt that she deserved. The colt was a finely bred individual and after several days' effort to get the mother to recognize her offspring, a conference of neighbors was held with a view of saving the colt. One neighbor suggested that Mr. Cook go to the residence of Bev. W. Dorsey, where he could secure some good old whisky and he guaranteed that after the liquor was applied to the colt's back and the mother inhaled the fumes she would own her colt. This was done and the colt placed in the stall of its mother. After securing a strong whiff of the whisky the mother began to show signs of affection for her offspring and shortly permitted the colt to nurse, which is now doing well.

## Lawn Mowers, Swings, Hose.

See Yerkes & Kenney for lawn mowers, swings and garden hose. 14-2t

## A Good Farmer.

That it pays to crib corn carefully, calling the good from the bad, and feeding the latter, is illustrated by the results obtained by Ed. Blake, a successful farmer of near Centerville. With corn selling at \$2 per barrel last fall, Mr. Blake who had nearly 500 barrels, culled it very carefully, cribbing the good and getting early returns from the bad by feeding it to stock. Mr. Blake has been very busy of late delivering one hundred and fifty barrels of corn at \$2.25 per barrel, besides selling more than 100 bushels of carefully selected seed corn at \$1 per bushel.

## Buy Your Home.

Why not buy you a home and pay for it on monthly payments. Your rent for ten years will buy the home you are in. See representative of Standard Trust Company, at Fordham Hotel, Tuesdays and Fridays, from 1 to 7 p. m. 10-tf

## Winner Of Clock.

Wallace Crook, of this city, will receive the handsome eight-day clock given away free by Luman & Adcock, the enterprising furniture dealers located in the Elks' building. The timepiece was awarded to Crook for making the nearest guess to how long the clock would run. Crook's guess was 16 days. The clock ran over 16 days. The 400 guesses ranged from 3 to 16 days.

## St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Services—Sunday 10 a. m. Sunday school; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m. evening service; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. evening prayer and litany. R. S. Litsinger, Pastor.

14-2t

## K. Of P. Memorial Services.

The Knights of Pythias, of this city, will hold memorial services at the Paris cemetery on Sunday, June 9. Lodges from Lexington, Winchester, Versailles, Stanford, Jackson, Cynthiana, Berry, North Middleton, Carlisle, Maysville and Second Regiment Uniform Rank are expected to be present and take part. An appropriate program is being arranged. There are about 15 brothers of the order buried in the Paris cemetery.

## Judge Hinton's Court.

"Speck" Helvy, a well-known negro character, was before Judge E. T. Hinton, Wednesday morning to answer on two charges of breach of the peace. The judge imposed a fine of \$17.50 and 15 days in jail in each case. Helvy had become involved in a difficulty with two dusky damsels on Eighth street, Tuesday night.

Judge Hinton gave the following instructions to Policeman Elgin, the arresting officer, after the trial: "You are instructed to forthwith arrest all women of a questionable character found loitering on the streets."

## A Strange Thing.

Just how sweet the privilege of living is to some people and how little it is regarded by others, is seen by a perusal of the daily press. In one column we read of two suicides because of trouble and despondency—just tired of life—while further along of a fellow falling upon his knees and delivering up prayer after prayer of thankfulness because his sentence to be hung was commuted to life imprisonment. Verily life is a strange article.

## Opened With Prayer.

A rather unique occurrence took place in a neighboring county a few days ago—the opening of a public sale by prayer. Col. Shepherd, the auctioneer, says it is the first instance of its kind in his thirty-four years experience. A minister came forward and offered a brief prayer. At the conclusion, Col. Shepherd, who was rather nonplussed, yelled: "Bring on a mule!" The mule was duly brought and the sale began amid the utmost enthusiasm.

## Intended To Prevent Monopoly.

The right of the General Council of a city to limit bidders on a franchise to those who do not own a similar franchise, at the time of the sale, was upheld by the Court of Appeals in a decision of the case involving the sale of a lighting franchise to Lawrence Jones, in Louisville. The court holds that the Constitution intended to prevent a monopoly and that the Louisville Lighting Company could be prohibited from bidding on a lighting franchise offered for sale by the city.

## Democrats Take Heart.

The Taft-Foraker fight is causing the Democrats of Ohio to take heart, and they believe they have an excellent prospect of electing Senator Foraker's successor. The present Legislature is Republican by a small margin, and there are many close legislative districts in the State.

## Are Self Supporting.

Under the new contracts for the work of the prisoners, the penitentiaries are not only self-supporting but a repaying handsome dividends into the State treasury. The Hoge-Montgomery Company recently contracted for the work of one hundred crippled convicts at twenty-five cents per day.

## Nine Lived Crops.

There have been so many reports this spring of half the fruit crop being killed, quarter of it being surely destroyed, etc., that we are led to wonder how many halves and quarters a single fruit crop really has. And with it all we are sure to have some fruit. All of which goes to prove that the cat is not the only thing that has nine lives.

## A Good Ordinance.

Owenboro's city council has passed an ordinance to prevent chickens from running at large in that city. Now if all other cities would do likewise it would show wisdom. Chickens are a very necessary article when kept within bounds but they are an intolerable nuisance when suffered to forage all over the neighborhood, scratching up gardens and flower beds of other people.

## Big Horse Sale.

At the Fasig-Tipton blue ribbon sale Tuesday at Cleveland, Major Delmar, the most conspicuous American trotting gelding, was sold to William Bradley, of New York, for \$12,000. Black Leek went to Thistledown Stock Farm, Randall, Ohio, for \$17,000 and George G. brought \$10,000, the purchaser being the same as the purchaser of Major Delmar. The two first named were part of the Billings stable.

## Held To Circuit Court.

Jim Foley, a one-armed negro, was before Judge Dunden Wednesday on a charge of shooting and wounding Horace French, another negro.

The difficulty took place on the farm of Tom Buckner. Foley, when found by Sheriff E. P. Clarke, was engaged at work on the farm of John Talbot, near North Middletown. Judge Dunden held the accused to answer at the June term of the Bourbon Circuit Court, and in default of bail he was taken to jail.

## Gives Distillers A Hearing.

Attorney General Bonaparte yesterday gave a hearing to a number of representatives of leading distilleries and rectifiers on the question of modification of his opinion submitted to the President April 10, last, relative to the labeling or branding of different kinds of spirits under the new pure food act. Former Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes and former Congressman Hemphill represented the interests which were opposed to portions of the Attorney General's ruling. Mr. Bonaparte said the matter was one of such great importance that he thought a test case ought to be brought in the courts for a final determination of all the questions involved.

## Effects All Cities.

The right of the city of Madisonville to buy or build an electric lighting plant, either in whole or in part, was upheld by the Court of Appeals, which says that the only limitation is the revenue received by the city, which must not be exceeded. The decision affects all the cities in the State, and constitutes a law which has been in doubt for some time.

Your pantry is not complete without a sack of E. F. Spears & Sons' Red Cross Flour.

## No Conventions To Be Held In Court House.

Jailer Geo. W. Judy has decided that conventions will be held in our new court house. In reply to a letter from committee appointed at the late meeting of the Bourbon County Republican Committee Mr. Judy sets forth his reasons for refusing their request to hold a convention in the Circuit Court room on June 15th. His reply is as follows:

Paris, Ky., May 13, 1907.

Messrs. C. J. Barns, W. A. Thompson and R. D. Grant, Special Committee. Dear Sirs:—Your favor of the 11th inst., asking permission to use the Circuit Court room of the court house for the purpose of holding a Republican convention on the 15th day of June, received and in reply will say:

That under the law I am made custodian of this building and am responsible on my bond for the proper care of it, and as such custodian believe it would be unwise to permit this court room to be used by any political party for the purpose of holding mass conventions, as believe, on account of the large number of persons that attend such conventions, it would be injurious to the furniture of the court room to be used for that purpose, and for that reason I regret that I cannot permit your party or any other political party to use this room.

I beg to say that I have given your letter very serious consideration and in making up my mind I am not influenced in any way by partisan or political reasons. Yours very truly,

G. W. JUDY,

Jailer Bourbon County.

## "Night Riders" Again.

A dispatch from Hopkinsville, Ky., Wednesday night states that a body of masked horsemen, supposed to be the "Night Raiders" Tuesday night burned a tobacco barn belonging to a planter named Wallace, in Trigg county, Kentucky. All his farming implements were destroyed. Wallace was not a member of the association. The plant beds of M. Wiley, of Caldwell county, were also destroyed.

## Will Make Endurance Test.

In a dispatch from Washington the information is conveyed that Lieut. W. H. Reed, of the United States cavalry, has been detailed to ride Clifton, Gen. John B. Catsleman's saddle horse, from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic coast.

Clifton is one of the purest bred American saddle horses, and will be ridden from coast to coast to demonstrate the theory that Gen. Catsleman has that the American saddle horse is superior and more capable of endurance than any other breed of horses.

Clifton, the noble steed selected by Gen. Catsleman to go the route, is being trained at Louisville, and is given an exercise of thirty to forty miles a day.

## Sheriff Donnell Acquitted.

Sheriff Chas. T. Donnell was acquitted Wednesday in the Nicholas Circuit Court on the charge of assaulting Judge N. H. McNew, County Judge of Nicholas county. This difficulty resulted from certain abusive articles written by McNew in his paper, the Carlisle Democrat. Mr. Donnell testified that he had to strike McNew to keep from getting cut.

## Odd Fellows Elect.

The grand encampment of Kentucky Odd Fellows was held at Georgetown, Wednesday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: H. F. Overman, Corbin, Grand High Priest; J. C. Wurbaugh, Paducah, Grand Senior Warden; J. E. Gilliom, Carrollton, Grand Junior Warden; R. G. Elliott, Lexington, Grand Scribe; B. J. Durham, Danville, Grand Treasurer; William Cox, Maysville, Grand Representative. The lodge adjourned yesterday afternoon to meet at Frankfort next year.

## Big Whisky Sales.

The Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse Company has filed a report of the disbursement of whisky made by them from their bonded whisky houses during the last four months ending the first quarter of the year 1907. The report shows that 1,473 barrels of whisky have been sent to various dealers during the months of January, February, March and April. This is considered a great showing in face of the large decrease in number of whisky selling towns.



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#### Long Gloves.

Real French Kid Gloves—Black, White and Brown—8-12-16 Button Length. Tan Orlamo Gloves elbow length. Long Silk and Lisle Gloves—75c to \$2 a pair.



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The most complete line we have ever shown. All new and fresh stock. Tambour—Irish Point—Cluny—Netts—Madras—Nottingham.

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**Increase In Railroad Rates.**

The railroads East of Chicago have advanced freight rates from two to ten per cent. on May 1 and the increase on grain adds nearly one cent a bushel on wheat to nearly one-half a cent a bushel on oats, the total increase being as follows:

New rate. Old Rate.  
Wheat and flax. 5.02c 4.07c  
Rye. 4.95c 4.07c  
Corn. 4.45c 4.02c  
Barley. 4.45c 4.03c  
Oats. 3.55c 3.03c

The rate on coal iron, etc., is also increased and the question naturally arises what advantage the people have secured by the rate bill passed by the last Congress, after being amended to suit President Roosevelt and the voting down of the amendments proposed by the Democrats and Senator La Follette.

**A Dog In The Manger Policy.**

As we are able to manufacture more than our people can consume at present high prices, the trusts are compelled to sell their surplus abroad in competition with goods made by "the pauper labor of Europe." To prevent this unfair competition all the European governments, except England, have increased their tariff rates, so there is danger that in the near future we will have an unsalable surplus of manufactured goods on hand for which it is impossible to find a market except at a loss. That condition will naturally lead to a shutting down of factories here or at least running them on shorter time, which will be equivalent to reducing wages. Now many of our manufacturers have already urged tariff reduction so as to get foreign countries to reciprocate by lowering their tariff rates against our products, but the Republican party being controlled by trust influence refuses to consider tariff revision as it would reduce their profits on their products sold in the United States. Are the stand-patters to be forever protected at the expense of everyone else?

**U. S. Public Lands.**

The opposition in the West to the policy of the Administration regarding the public lands has led to the calling of a meeting at Denver on June 18, "to adopt some representative public policy concerning lands." Already nine governors of Western States have accepted the invitation to appoint delegates and there are still five other states to hear from and it is expected they will prove favorable.

The principal objection to the Roosevelt policy appears to be the creation of vast forest reserves and the holding up of final homestead entries. It must, however, be remembered that the gigantic land frauds have forced the Administration to take radical action to preserve the remaining timber and coal lands from being absorbed by corporations under the form of law, but in many cases in a fraudulent manner. Perhaps these representatives of the Western States can devise amendments to the land laws that will protect the government and settlers alike.

**Contemptible Tariff Robbery.**

The people of the United States consume 6,440,000,000 pounds of sugar or about 76 pounds per capita. Of this about four-fifths is imported, one-fifth of which is imported from our possessions, leaving two-fifths to come from foreign sources. Of this three-fifths, nearly two-thirds came from Cuba and only paid 80 per cent. of the tariff tax on sugar. The sugar that came from Hawaii and Porto Rico paid no duty. What came from the Philippine Islands, our own possession, was subjected to 75 per cent of the regular rate of duty. Only about 21,000,000 pounds were imported from the Philippines or just about one-tenth as much as came in free duty from Porto Rico.

Does this look like a square deal to the Philippines to charge them 75 per cent of the tariff tax and allow the Hawaiians to import their products free? Is not the policy, asks the New York Journal of Commerce, of retaining any duty at all on Philippine sugar for the sole purpose of protecting the sugar trusts, one of ineffable and almost inconceivable meanness deserving the contempt of every decent American?

**A Wise Guy.**

John W. Gates says he is tired of gambling and is going to quit it. He allows that life is a gamble anyhow, and that the best gambler gets through the world easiest, though according to the tenets which have been his guide, he does not quit gambling until he has the other fellow skinned and is on easy street. Mr. Gates accuses the farmer of gambling and says he simply makes a bet with nature when he plants a field of corn, with the odds about even. According to the philosophy of Mr. Gates, the farmer wins a crop about as often as he loses one. He says everybody gambles even when he goes to work, making practically a wager at that he gets to his office or workshop and that it is only by carefully placing his odds that he wins. And more of the same sort.

Mr. Gates has been in the stock market for years, has played the ponies about as long, and it is hinted delicately that he is not untouched by the charms of faro, poker and stud. Consequently when he talks of gambling, it must be acknowledged that he speaks by the card. What he does not know of games of chance may be taken as not worth knowing. Always on the winning side, he has experienced nothing of the loser who has "blown in his wad." He has managed to stay on top, and not only that, has accumulated a considerable pile of cash, which some day or other belonged to the other fellow and should be his now. Mr. Gates is well healed. He knows when to get "cold feet." He has gambled until he has obtained every worldly thing he needs and considerable more. Now he is out of the game before the tide turns and somebody else makes him a victim. Mr. Gates, in the language of the street, is a wise guy.

**The American Watch Trust.**

President Roosevelt declined to accept a watch because it was engraved as having been presented to him "as a demonstration of the methods of the American watch trust." The watch was purchased in England of a dealer who had paid the American watch trust \$7.98 for it and would have cost the American dealer \$10.58. Thus does the tariff protect the trust and the English buyer and, too, the purchaser in the United States and yet the stand-patters have been denying that the trusts sell cheaper to the foreigner than to our own people. Is it not about time to give our own people the benefit of these bargain prices.

**Railroad Blockade.**

The freight blockade on some of the Western trunk lines is getting worse rather than improving. A dispatch from Rock Springs, Wyo., reports that nearly 4,500 loaded cars are tied up on one division of the Union Pacific. Only perishable freight is being sent forward from Laramie for the West and a great number of loaded cars are being held up at that point to relieve the congestion on the division further West. The policy of running railroads by the frenzied financiers of Wall Street does not seem to be the advantage of the patrons of the railroads however much the stockholders may benefit. As the Union Pacific Railroad pays ten per cent dividends on the common stock there is evident need of competition and a cutting of rates to a reasonable basis. Yet this same corporation is fighting the two-cent passenger rate in Nebraska and other states when it can evidently well afford to reduce both freight and passenger rates.

**Political Pick-Ups.**

Some of our Wall Street magnates make money by wrecking railroads, while others make money by buying them after the wreck has been accomplished, by issuing bonds in excess of the cost to resuscitate them. Both of these methods of plundering must be stopped by law for the people have to pay the cost in unreasonable rates.

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No wonder copper is high in price for the United Metals Selling Company has just declared a quarterly dividends of the \$7.50 per \$100 par value share. This is at the rate of 30 per cent per annum and as all the metal produced by the copper trusts passes through the hands of the selling company the price is advanced accordingly. Standard Oil Rogers controls the Copper Trusts and the selling company and thus bleeds the public.

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For Attorney-General—J. K. Hendrick.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—E. A. Gullion.  
For Commissioner of Agriculture—J. W. Newman.  
For Secretary of State—Hubert Freeland.  
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For Treasurer—Ruby Laffoon.  
For Clerk Court of Appeals—John B. Chenault.  
For United States Senator—J. C. W. Beckham.

**DR. CLARKE.**

Trotter, trial 2:15. Mark 2:21½ half mile track.

By Earlmont, race record, 2:09½, (sire of Tulsa K., 2:12½; Senator Vance, 2:19½; Ragland, 2:21½; Maggie C., 22:1; Miss Haley, 2:24; etc.) by Belmont, dam of Nutbreaker, 2:24, the sire of Nutbreaker, 2:09½; Roberto, 2:11½, and twenty-five in 2:30 list.  
2nd dam by Newcomb, 2:29, by Nutwood, 2:18, dam of George Wilkes, 2:22.  
3rd dam by Orphan Boy, son of American Clay.  
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**SUNLAND BOURBON**

RECORD 2:28 3-4.

Sire of Willie Herndon (3) 2:21½, Megaphone 2:14 and S. H. T. 2:11½. Chestnut Stallion, 15½ hands high.

**Sired by Bourbon Wilkes, 2345.**

Sire of Sunland Belle 2:07½, Coastman 2:08½, Split Silk 2:08½, Bourbon Patchen 2:08, Allen G. 2:10, Ituna 2:10, Mabel P. 2:10½, Reward J. 2:10½, Coast Boy 2:10½, Last Request 2:11, Charleston 2:12½, Bourbon Wilkes, Jr. 2:12½, etc. 1st dam Lark ..... by Abdallah Mambrino 37½.

DAM OF SIRE OF

Reward J. ....	2:0½	Mattie H. ....	2:11½
Sigma Nu ....	2:14½	May Day ....	2:18½
Telephone ....	2:15½	Geneva S. ....	2:19½
Miss Rachel (p.) ....	2:16½	Bettie Jones ....	2:19½
Wawona (dam of Lady May 2:23½) ....	2:19½	Aleeta ....	2:19½
Miss Rachel (dam of McDougall 2:14½) ....	2:20	and dams of Charleston 2:12½, etc.	
Wilkiemont ....	2:28		
Sunland Bourbon ....	2:23½		
Miss Edgar (dam of Bud Bonner (2) 2:19½) and Lucille Marlow (2) 2:17) ....	2:29		
Anna Carey 2:36 tr. ....	2:27		

2d dam Norman ..... by Norman 25 SIRE OF Lula ..... 2:14½ May Queen ..... 2:20 Backwood, etc. ..... by son of Sir Archy

3d dam Dolly Forward ..... a fast and game road mare of her day. Bourbon Wilkes, sire of six in 2:10 list. Lark, dam of six in 2:20 and eleven in 2:30 list; the first and only mare with such a distinction.

In a table of all the great brood mares published, Lark, the dam of Sunland Bourbon, was the only one with six in 2:20 and eleven in 2:30 list. Think of it!

When you consider breeding, individuality and the kind of colts he gets, Sunland Bourbon's fee is lower than any stallion we know of. If you want a fine team, a good road horse, a high actor, all having speed, breed your mares to Sunland Bourbon. It is well known he gets the above kind. Sunland Bourbon made quite a reputation last year as a great road horse, and those who saw him go now know that his record is no measure of his speed.

TERMS: \$20 TO INSURE A MARE WITH FOAL.

**SUNLAND CHIEF.**

## OF

**THE HARRISON CHIEF FAMILY.**

Bay Stallion 16 hands high, Foaled 1902.  
Sired by Harrison Chief, Jr.  
1st dam Becky, by Westwood.  
2d dam, by Catiban.  
3d dam, by Indian Chief.

Sunland Chief has been a premium winner in the roadsters' and harness rings at Georgetown, Paris and Lexington. The four great show horses Joe Downing, Harrison Chief, Indian Chief and Peavine are in his pedigree.

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\$15 TO INSURE A LIVING FOAL.

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A superb individual, a true and tried race champion and a royally bred stallion. Fastest son of his sire, Allerton 20½, champion living stallion to high wheels, the world's greatest living sire. Fastest son of a daughter of Alyeon, conceded to be the greatest son of George Wilkes. LOCANDA holds the world's 1½ mile record of 3:15½; he was the champion racing stallion of 1904 and 1905. 3-year-old record 2:16½, 4-year-old record 2:13½, 5-year-old record 2:07½, 6-year-old record 2:05¾, 7-year-old record 2:03½, 8-year-old record 2:02.

**FEE \$50 FOR A LIVING COLT.**

**Jay More 41904,**

By Jay Bird, dam Sallie Strathmore, (dam of Edward G. Meta Brown 2:19, Baroness Alberti 2:26, Oakmore 2:28); by Strathmore.

**FEE \$15.**

Two good mule Jacks, \$10 for a living colt.

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"I like dear little babies before they have learned to talk, don't you, Mr. Smythe?"

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If some people did more hard work perhaps they would have less hard luck.—Illinois State Journal

**Which Was Shot?**  
There was a Jere Clemens who was a United States senator and in his day enjoyed the usual senatorial fame—a fame which perishes whether it spring from four years' service or forty. After Jere Clemens' fame as a senator passed away he was still remembered for many years on account of another service which he performed. He shot old John Brown's Governor Wise in the hind leg in a duel. However, I am not very clear about this. It may be that Governor Wise shot him in the hind leg. However, I don't think it is important. I think that the only thing that is really important is that one of them got shot in the hind leg. It would have been better and nobler and more historical and satisfactory if both of them had got shot in the hind leg. But it is of no use for me to try to recollect history. I never had a historical mind. Let it go. Whichever way it happened, I am glad of it, and that is as much enthusiasm as I can get up for a person bearing my name. But I am forgetting the first Clemens, the one that stands farthest back toward the really original first Clemens, which was Adam.—From Mark Twain's Autobiography in North American Review.

#### The Great Composers.

At what age did the great composers write their masterpieces? This question is answered in the London Musical Times. The following table gives the composer's name, his recognized masterpiece, the age at which it was composed and the composer's age at death:

Bach.....	Mass in H moll.....	48...65
Händel.....	Messiah.....	56...74
Haydn.....	Creation.....	65...77
Mozart.....	Don Giovanni.....	31...35
Beethoven....	C-moll Symphony...35-38...56	
Wolfe.....	Frieschutz.....	30-33...39
Schubert.....	C-dur Symphony...31...31	
Mendelssohn.....	Elias.....	37...38
Schumann....	Piano concert.....31-35...46	
Wagner.....	Meistersinger.....49-54...69	
Brahms.....	Requiem.....32-35...63	

This goes to show that composers between thirty and forty created the greatest masterpieces. Yet the composers above forty should not despair, seeing that Bach composed his mass in H moll at the age of forty-eight, Wagner his "Meistersinger" when fifty-five, Händel his "Messiah" when fifty-six and Haydn his "Creation" when sixty-five years of age.

#### A Turkish Joke.

A certain sultan of Turkey was very fond of gossip and sent for the banker, Abraham Beg, to learn the small talk of Pera and Stamboul. As Abraham was being conducted to the sultan's residence by the master of the horse that functionary begged him, should the sultan question him on the subject, to say that the funds were at 30, his majesty having been so informed by his ministers.

Poor Abraham consented.

He had not been long with Abdul Aziz when he was questioned as to the funds and replied as he had promised. To the horror of the banker, the sultan expressed himself delighted and handed Abraham a large bundle of bonds to sell for him.

Abraham sold at 12 and paid Abdul Aziz 30. The sultan had originated that little "joke."

#### Courts of Love.

"Courts of love" were established in the middle ages, when chivalry was at its height and love the serious occupation of life among the higher class of society. The first "court of love" was established in the south of France in the twelfth century and was composed of knights, poets and ladies, and their decisions on subtle questions connected with affairs of the heart were given with great formality.

#### Spoiled Pleasure.

Mrs. Meyer—What's the trouble, Mrs. Schulz? You are in bad humor this morning. Mrs. Schulz—You see, my husband stayed at the club every night last week until after midnight. Last night I sat up, determined to give him a curtain lecture when he got in late, and what do you think? The fool came home at 9 o'clock!—Fliegende Blätter.

#### In the Eighteenth Century.

Women needed to be admonished regarding certain details of good manners in the eighteenth century quite as much as today. At the Handel festival at Westminster abbey in 1790 a notice was posted reading, "No ladies will be admitted with hats, and they are particularly requested to come without feathers and very small hoops, if any."

#### Hence the Tears.

"It is strange how some people cry at weddings."

"Yes, but you've probably noticed that it's never the single people who cry."

"Well?"

"Well, it is only the married ones who realize the tragedy of it." — Houston Post.

#### A Cynic.

In the "Cynic's Word Book" Ambrose Bierce, himself a cynic, gives the following definition of a cynic: "A blackguard whose faulty vision sees things as they are, not as they ought to be; hence the custom among the Scythians of plucking out a cynic's eyes to improve his vision."

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In England and France the sale of Alum Baking Powder is prohibited by law because of the injurious effects that follow its use.

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Harduppe—Hello, Flubdub! Lend me \$13 till tomorrow, will you?  
Flubdub—But thirteen is unlucky.  
Harduppe—Oh, well, make it \$14, then.—Philadelphia Press.

### From the Lips of Babes.



The Young Lady—Are you two young stars twins?  
The Boy (indignantly)—No. She's a girl.—Sketch.

G. S. VARDEN & SON, Paris, Ky.

### A City of the Past.

Rimini is full of associations with thrilling people of the past. It was here that Caesar crossed the Rubicon. We crossed ourselves on the very bridge his feet had touched. It was here, too, that St. Anthony came to preach and, finding no people who would give heed to him, turned in despair and preached to the fishes, who raised their heads out of the water to listen to him. There is a chapel which marks the spot where he stood by the water. In Rimini lived Paolo and Francesca, the tragedy of whose love every one knows.—Travel Magazine.

Tubb—I flatter myself that honesty is printed on my face. Grubb—Well—yes, perhaps—with some allowance for typographical errors.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Hidden knowledge differs little from ignorance.—Horace.

### The Bluegrass Traction Company Schedule December 1906.

Cars leave Lexington for Georgetown 6 a.m. and every hour until 8 p.m. 9:30 and 11 p.m.  
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Cars leave Lexington for Paris 6 a.m. and every hour until 7 p.m. 9 and 11 p.m.  
Cars leave Georgetown for Lexington 6 a.m. and every hour until 7 p.m. 8:45 and 10:15 p.m.  
Cars leave Versailles for Lexington 6 a.m. and every hour until 7 p.m. 8:45 and 10:15 p.m.  
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**A Whole Bourbon County Family Comes Near Being Poisoned.**

Mr. Sam Hardin and family were saved from being poisoned several days ago by a mere accident.

When Mr. Hardin's cook got up at an early hour she went to the kitchen and got an empty bucket and filled it with water. She then took a cup of the water and cleaned her false teeth, in putting her teeth back into her mouth they tasted very bitter and she became frightened, calling Mr. Hardin and telling him something was wrong.

Mr. Hardin began to investigate and found the coffee tasted bitter, as every thing else did in the kitchen. He promptly dumped the coffee, meal and lard into a hog pen. In a few minutes he had eight dead hogs and two dead dogs. The matter has been kept quiet for several days.

A portion of the things thrown away have been examined and were found to contain a large amount of strychnine. But for the cook noticing the peculiar taste of the water, the poison having been put into the empty bucket, everyone on the place would probably be in their graves now.

No clue has been discovered but if the person is found to be guilty, hanging is entirely too good for him.

**Fiscal Court Meets Today.**

Bourbon Fiscal Court will be in session today to take up and pass on the charges filed against Supervisor C. F. Redmon, asking for his removal, by County Attorney T. E. Moore, Jr.

**OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.**

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Through a shakeup in the Internal Revenue Bureau a Kentucky man has been elevated to a nice position. This is Harry Giovannoli, for many years chief clerk of the stamp Division of the Bureau. He came to Washington with former Commissioner Yerkes from Kentucky, first as private secretary to the Commissioner and later as chief clerk of the division in question. "Tom" Biscins, whose position Mr. Giovannoli will take, has been chief clerk of the Bureau for a long time. He was made chief of the Tobacco division. No reasons are given for the change, excepting that a younger man is needed for the place, which has assumed important proportions.

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The Inland Waterways Commission, the Board of which Congressman Burton, of Ohio, is chairman, and which was appointed by the President recently, has spent a busy week in organizing and in making plans for future work, and has left for Kansas City to make its first important trip. Arriving there they will board the government boat Suter for a careful investigation of the Missouri river between Kansas City and St. Louis, at which latter point they will embark on the government steamer Mississippi for an inspection of the Mississippi river as far South as New Orleans. This juncture will probably occupy ten or eleven days, and will be as thorough as the limited time will allow. Chairman Burton has been deluged with invitations to inspect streams tributary to the Mississippi and Missouri rivers, but he has been compelled to decline all. In the first place, the members of the commission all are in the service of the government in other capacities and cannot absent themselves from their various departments for any great length of time; and then Chairman Burton is vitally interested in the political situation in Ohio, where his presence is required. This initial trip of the commission is expected to do much toward stimulating the growing interest in the matter of water transportation. For five years the National Rivers and Harbors Congress has worked to stimulate this interest and to point out to the country at large the urgent necessity for providing a system of transportation that will supplement the railroads. The organization's crusade will be greatly strengthened by the activities of the commission, which will undoubtedly aid the plans of Captain J. F. Ellison, of Cincinnati, secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, in building up a still greater membership.

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Several of the big architectural firms of the country have been specially invited to furnish plans for the new building that will house the Bureau of American Republics. Each firm will be paid \$1,000 for the plans submitted, which are to be entered in the general competition in which one hundred and twenty-eight other firms have signed their intention to participate. The building is to cost \$600,000 and the entire furnishings \$150,000. The site on the banks of the Potomac has already been purchased at a cost of \$250,000. Of the million dollars to cover the cost of the ground and building, the government appropriated \$250,000, and Andrew Carnegie furnished the remainder on the condition that the building be known as the Pan-American Palace of Peace. It is expected that the award will be made by July 1st.

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**NOTICE.**

All persons having claims against the estate of J. W. Hughes, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same properly proven, as required by law, to the undersigned administrator.

Those knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please settle such indebtedness.

P. I. McCARTHY,  
Administrator,  
Paris, Kentucky.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

I will receive sealed bids at my office, in the Court House on or before June 4th, up to the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., to build about one mile-and-a-half of pike on the Coutihards' Mill dirt road, running from the mill to Paris and Ruddles Mills pike. I reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

17-6t C. F. REDMON, Supervisor.

**Success Of Hospital Assured.**

The Hospital Circle met at the court house Tuesday afternoon and effected a permanent organization. The following Board of Directors was elected: Messrs. N. F. Brent, William Shire, R. J. Neely, W. H. Renick and John H. Roseberry. These gentlemen being present accepted the honor conferred. The Board met and elected the present officers of the circle as a board of lady managers, as follows: Mrs. Duncan Bell, President; Mrs. W. O. Hinton, Vice President; Miss Clara Bacon, Secretary; Miss Nellie Schwartz, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. C. Arnsperger, Treasurer.

The success of the institution is now an assured fact as the gentlemen selected to compose the Board of Directors are enterprising business men and will push the promotion of the institution to a successful issue. Six thousand dollars now constitutes the building fund and the remainder of the twenty thousand dollars needed for building and grounds will be secured by popular subscription.

**Received This Morning.**  
Fresh caught Fish today at Shea's.

**Higgins Sells Interest.**

Charles V. Higgins has sold his interest in the lumber yard of the Paris Manufacturing Company, on South Main street to Messrs. W. P. Ardery and Ossian Edwards. The new firm will be composed of Messrs. Ardery, Edwards and J. H. Stivers and will be known as the Paris Lumber and Manufacturing Company.

Mr. Higgins retains interest in the planing mill.

**Children's Day.**

Children's Day will be observed at Methodist church Sunday morning. An appropriate program has been arranged for the occasion, and everything points to a beautiful and impressive service. Public cordially invited to attend.

**To The People Of Paris And Bourbon County.**

I take this means of introducing myself to you and telling you something about my line of work. After looking the ground over thoroughly and realizing the need in your town and county of a competent OPTOMETRIST, or OPITICAN, have decided to locate and conduct exclusive optical parlors.

What work that has been done heretofore in this line has been done by traveling men, but one will fail to realize the advantages of having your eye expert constantly with you to look after the needs of your eyesight. An optometrist is one who understands the anatomy and physiology of the eye, its nervous system and defects of vision. He fits glasses to correct the various defects of sight, which are the causes of many well-known troubles. He is competent to discover any diseased condition that may need the attention of your physician or oculist and to direct you to him when necessary.

Hoping that you will favor me with an inspection of my parlors and your patronage, am yours for conscientious work.

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Why do all cooks and housekeepers prefer to use E. F. Spears & Sons' Red Cross Flour?

**Suit On Note.**  
Suit was filed in the Fayette Circuit Court last Monday afternoon by J. T. Hinton, Jr., of this city, against the Robinson Amusement Company, and Dan R. Robinson, trading and doing business under the name of the Famous Robinson Amusement Company, for \$114.17. The plaintiff alleges that the Amusement Company gave him its note for \$114.17 on October 6, 1906, and the check was drawn on the Record National Bank. It was presented for payment, but was refused. The plaintiff declares that the check was made payable to him as treasurer of the Amusement Committee of Garth Lodge, A. O. U. W. of Paris, and he prays judgment against the Amusement Company and defendant for the amount of the check with interest at 6 per cent, and also for a general attachment against property of the company until the check is paid. Stoll & Bush represent the plaintiff.

**Forest Survey Of Kentucky.**

State Agricultural Commissioner Hubert Vreeland and Senator J. W. Newman, of Woodford county, 1st Wednesday for Washington and New York on business incident to the beginning of operations under the provisions of State forestry and immigration law adopted at the last Assembly session. The first to be taken is the making of a forest survey of Kentucky for the purpose of ascertaining the amount and character of the timber of the State. For making this the National Government will share in the expense, the State paying one-half the cost. Commissioner Vreeland has been in communication with the National department for some time past regarding the matter, and the survey will likely be made very soon, following his visit to Washington.

It will be necessary, in order to work intelligently in the matter of immigration, to ascertain what other States of the Union have been doing in the matter, and this the Commissioner will ascertain while in New York and Washington. Under the new Kentucky law the sum of \$2,000 is set apart annually for the Agricultural Department appropriation for forestry and immigration.

**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that all watches which were left with Louis Hooge for repair have been placed with Shire & Fithian, in Paris, Ky., for delivery to owners, who are requested to call on them for same. All watches not called for before August 15, 1907, will be sold for charges.

17-6t C. F. REDMON, Supervisor.

**Get Busy About Natural Gas.**

The Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company is engaged in the erection of a pump station in the fields in Menifee county at the cost of between \$60,000 and \$70,000 for the purpose of preventing any possibility of the failure of the supply of natural gas because of a break in the pipe, such as occurred once last winter.

The permanence of the supply of gas in the field is so definitely settled that the Gas Company is going to this additional expenditure and is considering what other towns in addition to Lexington, Winchester and Mt. Sterling it will pipe gas to this summer.

The above information are facts and the time is now ripe for Paris to take steps to get this company to make connection.

**Hitch-Harrington.**

Mr. Oscar Hitch and Miss Cora Harrington, both of this city, were united in marriage at the court house yesterday afternoon, Judge Dundon officiating.

**THE GENUINE TORTOISE SHELL.**

Just received a swell line of Side and Back Combs and a varied assortment of Barrettes—all genuine Tortoise Shell goods.

**SHIRE & FITHIAN.**

Dr. Landman, the oculist and aurist, will be at Mrs. R. M. Harris' corner of Fourth and Pleasant streets, Tuesday, May 14th.

**FOR SALE!**

The saloon on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, now conducted by Desha Lucas. This is one of the best stands in Paris and is well equipped. For particulars call on 102t DESHA LUCAS.

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## THE BOURBON NEWS.

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## Grand Commandery Of Kentucky.

The meeting of the Grand Commandery of Kentucky Knights Templar, which has been on for the past two days in Maysville was an event long to be remembered by the good and hospitable people of that city, as well as by the visiting Sir Knights.

Coeur de Lion Commandery, No. 26, of this city, headed by the Paris Elks band, called forth hearty applause from the great crowds whenever they made their appearance. They received an ovation in fact all along the line of march.

Twenty-six Paris Sir Knights were in line and with their band dressed in the Elks' uniform, made a fine appearance.

Coeur de Lion Commandery was indeed fortunate in securing the beautiful and elegant old home of Mrs. Lida Rogers for their headquarters. The true Kentucky hospitality of Mrs. Rogers, a most charming woman, was in evidence on every occasion.

The Paris Commandery entertained here with a reception on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The receiving line composed of the following Sir Knights and ladies greeted their many guests in the drawing room: Mrs. Wm. Board, Mrs. Frank Fithian, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Taylor, Whit Mann, Miss Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerney, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, John Bedford, Mrs. Frank Clay, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Didlake, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. James, Miss Detweller, Mr. Detweller.

The spacious rooms were comfortably filled with a throng of visitors from the different commanderies, as well as many of Maysville's most prominent men and women. The tole of the women were too varied and beautiful to attempt a description. Suffice to say that Kentucky's boast of having the loveliest of earth's feminine gender and most gallant sons was amply in evidence. A profusion of American Beauty roses, both in bouquets and decorations lent color to the scene.

Serving at the punch bowls were Miss Florence Rogers, Miss Ollie Butler, Mrs. Swift Champ, Mildred McMillan, Miss Hattie Hill Mann, Miss Rebecca Duke, Miss Mary Woodford.

The Elks band from Paris furnished the music while a Cincinnati caterer served the refreshments. In every particular it was a most enjoyable affair and considered by all the most elaborate reception given during the Conclave.

## NOTES.

As Mrs. Frank Fithian was standing with her husband and a number of Paris friends in front of the Elks Home, listening to the Paris Elks Band play, the Maysville commandery headed by Weber's great band marched up the pavement and asked for Mrs. Fran Fithian. She was pointed out to him and he at once began an elegant address to her, concluding with bringing from behind him a large and exquisite cut glass vase and presenting it to her in behalf of the Mayville Commandery. It was a token appreciation for the hospitable and charming manner in which M. Fithian had treated them when they made her beautiful home their headquarters in Paris last year.

To relieve Mrs. Fithian of her surprise and embarrassment a Paris Sir Knight shouted, "What's the matter with Maysville?" and from seven thousand throats the shout went up in reply, "Nothing at all, Maysville all right."

It was given up as a fact that Ussery and his Elks Band were the money. They not only took their own when it came to make music, but they had more fun than a body. They secured a lot of tin whistles and had every child in Maysville following them.

The next Conclave will be held Lebanon, Ky., in May 1908.

The Knights Templar concluded their meeting last night. A boat ride on steamer Courier was taken up river. Governor Durbin, of India, was present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Grand Commander—William R. Johnson, Lebanon.

Vice Commander—Robert Moses, Louisville.

Generalissimo—Joseph Ewalt, Cincinnati.

Grand Captain General—John G. Cramer, Lexington.

Senior Warden—William Yoeman, Versailles.

Junior Warden—Lee Ray, Owingsboro.

Grand Prelate—Robert Stockton, Richmond.

Grand Treasurer—Alfred Bryant, Covington.

Grand Recorder—Thomas Satterwhite, Louisville.

Grand Standard bearer—Preston Brown, Frankfort.

Grand Sword-bearer—Charles Smith, Danville.

Grand Warden—William E. Board, Pairs.

Captain of the Guard—David Dye, Maysville.

## Clothers That Please.

If you want your clothes made this spring it's high time to make your selection. We are making the best clothes that skill can produce and can please the most fastidious.

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## Beautiful Grasmere Sold.

Grasmere, the beautiful farm of the late William Warfield, of Fayette, and the home of the most celebrated Shorthorn herd in America for several generations, was sold at public auction yesterday to C. Foster Helm, superintendent of mails in the Lexington post office, at \$225 an acre. The place surveys 240 acres and the purchase price is therefore \$54,000. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Helm and family will occupy Grasmere as a residence and will build on the site of the handsome old house that burned down some years ago.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Robert Philips is visiting her son, Mr. George Philips, in Cynthiana.

Miss Elizabeth Huddleston visited friends in Lexington several days this week.

Rev. Hal E. Spears, of Danville, visited relatives here several days this week.

Mrs. Duncan Bell is spending a few days this week with friends in Cincinnati.

Rev. Dr. F. J. Cheek, of Louisville, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Curtis Lary, of Texoma, O.T., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis Lary.

Earl Sellers and W. R. Hukill returned from French Lick Springs, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Erringer were among the Bourbon visitors to Lexington, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Elliott visited her sister, Miss Drusie Elliott, Wednesday, at the State Normal School at Richmond.

Dr. E. L. Stevens leaves Monday to attend the State Dental Association, which will be in session three days at Louisville.

Elder John S. Sweeney and son, Elder Edwin E. Sweeney have returned from a three weeks' stay at French Lick Springs.

Dr. Louis Frank and son, Wallace, arrived yesterday from Louisville to spend a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Frank.

The Jolly Fellows have chosen the evening of Monday, June 10, for their next German at Elks' Hall. Smittie's band has been engaged for the event.

Major James M. O'Brien, James Dodge, John Wiggins and Ben Woodford, Jr., were among those who attended the conclave at Maysville on Wednesday.

## Bought Ten Lots.

Frank Kiser, Monroe Mansfield and Tom Cook purchased, yesterday, of Hutchcraft, Arnsberger & Brennan ten choice lots in Fair Ground addition, and will build nice cottages on them at once.

## A Good Woman Passes Away.

Mrs. Catherine C. Connelly, aged 77 years, passed away yesterday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Richie, on South Main, of general debility.

Mrs. Connelly was born in County Roscommon, Ireland, and came to America when a girl of sixteen years, locating in Paris, where she has since resided. Her husband, Patrick Connelly, preceded her to the grave some fourteen years ago.

In the death of Mrs. Connelly Paris loses one of its best citizens.

## BIRTHS.

Born, yesterday, to the wife of Mr. J. Walter Payne, a daughter—Elnor. Fourth born and first daughter.

## Exciting Times.

There will be exciting times in Cynthiana today. They hold the local option election there. Both sides are claiming victory.

## Worthless Curs.

We have a number of worthless curs that roam our streets snapping at pedestrians as they go to and from their business. Is there no law in regard to this nuisance? If not, there should be one. The court house lawn is a playground for them.

## Horse Valued At \$2,900.

In the case of W. C. Gormley against the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company at Richmond for \$7,000 damages for alleged injuries to the race horse Billy Gormley, the jury returned a verdict yesterday afternoon giving the plaintiff a verdict for \$2,000.

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#### Love Potions.

Love potions as used by the peasants of lower Austria and Syria are generally taken by the person who wishes to be loved. The common habit is to consume minute portions of white arsenic, which will in a few weeks develop a thin, pale girl into a plump, rosy-cheeked beauty. Great care has to be exercised in taking the arsenic or death results, and when the habit is once formed it usually lasts for life, since the body becomes uncomfortable and even diseased, showing all the symptoms of arsenic poisoning, if the intent is broken off.

Some of the eastern nations use love potions differently. If a girl loves a man and he seems cold, she contrives to give him a drink of hashish, obtained from Indian hemp. The man's brain becomes fogged, and he is ready to believe anything that is suggested to him. The girl suggests to him that she is beautiful and thus compels him to regard her unlovely features as she desires.

#### The Human Electric Battery.

The superstition that human beings should sleep with their heads to the north is believed by the French to have for its foundation a scientific fact. They affirm that each human system is in itself an electric battery, the head being one of the electrodes, the feet the other. Their proof was discovered from experiments which the Academy of Sciences was allowed to make on the body of a man who was guillotined. This was taken the instant it fell and placed upon a pivot free to move as it might. The head part, after a little vacillation, turned to the north, and the body then remained stationary. It was turned half way round by one of the professors, and again the head end of the trunk moved slowly to the cardinal point due north, the same results being repeated until the final arrestation of organic movement.

#### The Tobacconist's Elegy.

One of the most peculiar things in the whole history of signs is the fact that while all other shopkeepers were patronizing the embryo painters the tobacconist always called upon the woodcarver on the continent as well as in England. As long ago as Elizabeth's reign the wooden image of the black boy was the favorite sign of the tobacco dealers. Later the customary sign was the Highlander or a figure of Sir Walter Raleigh. In Holland, for some strange reason, the tobacconists adopted the dairymaid as their sign, with the motto, "Consolation for sucklings." The Indian, naturally enough, has always been the predominant sign in this country, although once in awhile a reversion to type crops out with the ancient black boy.

#### The Great Jenner.

An Englishman had occasion to go often to an eminent physician and said to James, "You will be tired of opening the door for me." "Not at all, sir," was the gracious reply; "you are but a bairn in the hocean."

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#### How Long the Bills Last.

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#### No Bargains.

"Eternal vigilance," shouted the orator, "is the price of liberty!"

The women electors exchanged glances.

"That is the same price as last year," they remarked and shrugged their shoulders.

There were no bargains to be had, and they lost interest in the proceedings.

#### The School.

"How do you get those clinging ways?" asked the country cousin.

"Hanging from street car straps," answered the city girl.—Washington Herald.

Men have a touchstone whereby to try gold, but gold is the touchstone whereby to try men.—Fuller.

#### Tipping the Cook.

In old times to dine with a nobleman cost more in tips to the servants than a club dinner. Lord Poor, a well named Irish peer, excused himself from dining with the Duke of Ormond upon the ground that he could not afford it. "If you will give me the guinea I have to pay your cook, I will come as often as you choose to ask me"—which was accordingly done. The duke, however, had not the pluck to stop the tipping practice. Lord Taaffe, a general officer in the Austrian service, did what he could. He always attended his guests to the door. When they put their hands into their pockets he said: "No. If you do give it, give it to me, for it was I who paid for your dinner." To Sir Timothy Waldo must be given the credit of putting an end to the monstrous practice. After dinner with the Duke of Newcastle he put a crown into the cook's hand. It was rejected. "Do not take silver, sir." "Very good. And I do not give gold." This courageous rejoinder "caught on," and the day of vials to cooks was over. St. James' Gazette.

#### A Choice of Evils.

Ladlady—Would you advise me to send my daughter to a cooking school or to a music school? Boarder (reflectively)—Well, I think I'd send her to a cooking school. It may be more fatal in its results, but it isn't anything like so noisy.

#### How They Get In.

Knicker—Are children allowed in your flat? Bocker—No. We brought ours in under the head of musical instruments.—New York Sun.

#### An Ultimatum.



The Squire's Lady—I haven't seen old George Gibbs about lately, Willam. Where is he?

William—Oh, 'e 'ad a row wi' th'borough counsell and left 'is job (Pause). An' if they ain't careful nev' thing'll be they'll lose me too!—F. stander.

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A lady whose name was Miss Rook was taught at a school how to cook. The poor fellow she wed, I think, now is dead. Since Miss Rook learned to cook by the book.

—Leslie's Weekly.

To Tell a Fashionable Restaurant.  
"When I was young," said an old bachelor, "at all the fashionable restaurants you wrote your order. That was the way to distinguish the really fashionable restaurant. You wrote your order there, whereas in the common one you gave it to the waiter orally. Ordering is a difficult matter. It is a trifle, especially when one has guests, that one is likely to get flustered over; hence I always liked to write my order. It kept me cool. But a waiter, standing over me, suggesting dishes I didn't want, hurrying me, had the power to rattle me completely. But fashionable restaurants no longer are to be distinguished by this writing business. Writing has disappeared from them. They are to be distinguished now by their French menus—bothersome things that call a sweetbread a ris de veau, a potpie a vol au vent and a leg of mutton a gigot."

Philadelphia Bulletin.

## The Wily Weather Man

By HOWARD FIELDING.

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**T**o me, in the midst of a busy morning, there entered an office boy with the card of Mr. Lucius Werner of the United States weather bureau. At the bottom of the card the word "Over" was written and upon the back this sentence: "For reasons which I shall explain I think that our interview should be strictly private."

Now, why in the world should the weather man desire a private interview? There can be no "graft" in his office surely. He can furnish no special brand of weather to those who will fatten his pocket, and, except in his official capacity as the author of the local predictions in the morning paper, Mr. Werner seemed extremely remote from my affairs.

Mr. Werner proved to be a robust and florid young man, yet of a studious aspect withal and very courteous in his demeanor.

"You are high up here," said he, with a gesture toward my window; which overlooked all the neighboring house-tops, "but I am higher. From the tower of the Exchange building where my office is, I can look into these rooms, and I have recently seen something here which seems to me very strange."

"Well," said I, "what was it?"

"For two nights," he replied, "I have seen a man at work at this desk. You have no shades, eh? That is odd."

"They were not up when I took the offices," said I, "and as these are north windows I never bothered about the matter."

I spoke hurriedly and ended with a sign for him to proceed.

"My attention was first attracted by a peculiar light," said he. "It was in this room, and I happened to be looking in this direction. There was a flare, probably the lighting of a match, and then a sort of glow that made me suspect fire. I therefore took some powerful nightglasses, and through them I saw that a shaded lamp was burning on that desk. Presently a man appeared. He sat where you sit now, and for a long time he examined documents, one after another, hastily. If the room had been lighted in the ordinary way I might have got a fair impression of the man and a better idea of what he was doing, but because of this dark lantern that he used I saw him only as a vague shadow."

There was a brief pause.

"Mr. Werner," said I, "this is important, and I cannot help wishing that you had told me sooner."

"I have a nervous dread of intrusion," he said, coloring. "Doubtless I should have told you after the first night."

"Will it be possible for me to watch in your tower tonight?" said I.

"Certainly," he responded. "You have missed nothing?"

"Not yet, but perhaps you noticed the great number of letter files in the outer room. There are documents in them which might better be in the safe perhaps. At any rate, I don't care to have a stranger investigating them at midnight."

This was an evasion. I had a very different idea as to the intruder's er-



"YOU ARE HIGH UP HERE, BUT I AM HIGHER." I ran in my office, but I hesitated to take Mr. Werner into my confidence. He, however, seemed perfectly satisfied and presently took his leave.

Now, this is the way the case looked to me: I was in litigation with the Lassells Construction company over a matter involving a very large sum of money. My contention rested upon a contract with that company, and in the papers filed in court upon my side of the suit copies of this contract were included, but the original had disappeared.

Without this document our case was hopeless, and we had already been driven to adopt veiled tactics of delay in the hope that it might be found. To the best of my knowledge and belief the contract—a very brief instrument on a single sheet of paper—had been lost in the office of my lawyers, but there was a bare possibility that I had dropped it in the street. I had taken it out of my safe on a certain day after collecting some other papers relating to the case, had started for my

lawyers. Arriving there, I had begun to discuss the matter with a member of the firm when we discovered the absence of the contract, yet I was under the impression that I had had it in my hand while sitting there with him. He, too, believed that he had seen it.

The inos: careful search proved futile, and we were forced to the conclusion that a clerk in his employ who had entered the room during our conference had taken the document for the purpose of selling it to the enemy. This man was shadowed with no result, and if he really sold it both he and the purchaser were too shrewd for us. The Lassell people continued some negotiations for a settlement, but my lawyer was of the opinion that this was a "blind" and that they would force us into court eventually, knowing that we must lose.

But the story told by Lucius Werner put a different face on the matter. I discussed it fully with my secretary, who is a very shrewd fellow, and he agreed with me that the man seen by Mr. Werner was hunting for that contract in my office.

If the Lassell people did not already hold it, they must be very anxious to get it, and as they had proved themselves utterly unscrupulous in their transactions with me I was quite willing to believe that they would employ criminal methods to win their case.

Alston, my secretary, suggested that there might have been a small leak in my lawyers' office sufficient to give the Lassells the tip that the contract was not there. They might then have jumped to the conclusion that it was worth while to engage in a bit of burglary at my own headquarters. My safe was one that my father bought many years ago, retained by me I know not why. Certainly I cherished no illusions as to its security. Beyond doubt a modern expert could open it easily and without a trace of violence. I never kept money in it except the small sums needed for daily cash disbursements.

That night I watched with Werner in his tower, and all conditions were favorable for observation, but no light appeared in my windows. One of two conclusions was possible—the Lassells' emissary had already found the contract or he had given it up. The chance that he had skipped a night seemed hardly worth considering in view of all the circumstances that urged haste.

I did not believe that he had given up the search. He had spent only an hour each night in my rooms, and this time seemed to me insufficient except upon the supposition that he had found what he was after. The time corresponded with certain possibilities for entering the building by a basement door communicating with the engineer's department. I discovered that a man could get in that way a little before 12 and escape a little after 1 without much risk of observation. I had a man on watch there that night, but without result. No suspicious person attempted to enter.

There were, however, other ways in which the thing might have been done, as Werner pointed out to me. A man might have concealed himself in the building and remained till morning, and this seemed the simpler way.

Upon the whole, I was driven toward the conclusion that the contract had been found, and my lawyer agreed with me in a conference which we held in my office late in the afternoon of the day following my vigil in the weather bureau's tower. It was nearly 7 o'clock when this interview ended, and when I came out of my private office I was surprised to find Werner waiting for me in the larger room.

He expressed a desire to discuss the case with me, and we spent half an hour or more, but he offered only the advice that I should watch once more in his tower. I noticed, however, that he scrutinized my room with great care, examining the desk, and especially the window, with a cool precision proper to the man of scientific training, but what he gained by these observations I was far from guessing.

We dined together, and I watched with him again, but my vigil was unrewarded. Finally, near dawn, I lay down to sleep upon a couch and dreamed bad dreams till I awoke to find Werner standing beside me with his hand upon my breast.

He provided me with a breakfast of eggs and coffee, which he prepared himself upon a queer little electric contrivance, chiefly his own invention, and then he asked to go with me to my office. We were there ahead of the boy whose duty it is to open the rooms, and the youth was vastly surprised to find me in my sanctum when he arrived. Alston, who is an early bird, was also amazed in his own peculiar and cold fashion.

I made him acquainted with Werner, whom he had not previously met, and he extended his hand. Werner looked at the hand as if it had been an object of scientific interest, but he did not take it. Instead he slowly wagged his head with the negative sign.

"No, sir," said he. "I do not care to take the hand of the man who robs his benefactor."

The use of this word apprised me that Werner had asked some questions about John Alston, whom indeed I had befriended in a somewhat unusual manner, though the fact was not generally known. This inference flitted through my brain in the midst of the confusion and surprise caused by Werner's startling accusation. Meanwhile Alston was regarding Werner with some small signs of resentment, but without alarm or any indication of guilt.

"Those are hard words, Mr. Werner," said I. "They must be instantly withdrawn or justified."

"Tell me," replied Werner calmly, "do you know any honest business that would bring this man here by night with a dark lantern?"

"There's no doubt about his business if he was here," said I. "That's the point."

"Last evening when I was here with you I made some observations," said Werner. "Will you step up on that table and examine the casing of the window?"

I glanced toward Alston and caught just the faintest wavering gleam in his eye, which led me to comply with Werner's request. I found what my friend, the weather man, had previously seen—some fresh marks upon the upper part of the casing, strongly suggesting that some covering had been tacked up to cover the window.

"This rug," said Werner, "would answer very nicely. Ah, here are the marks in the corners."

"All this is very interesting," interposed Alston, "but I fail to see how it connects me with this matter."

"Who else knew that I had seen that light in these windows?" demanded Werner.

Alston smiled coldly, and indeed the evidence seemed weak, for it might



HE MADE A SUDDEN PASS AT WERNER.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce J. Hal Woodford as a candidate for re-election to the Lower House of the General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Pearce Paton as a candidate for County Clerk of Bourbon county, subject to the act on of the Democratic party.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribe local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable.

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Have you neglected your Kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your Kidneys and Bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so, William's Kidney Pills will cure you. Sample free. By mail 50 cents. Sold by Oberdorfer.

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### Free Reclining Chair Cars.

The Southern Railway has inaugurated free reclining chair car service between Louisville and Evansville on their fast through trains leaving Louisville at 7:30 a. m. and 5 p. m. daily, and running solid to Evansville, without change. This line also operates free reclining chair cars on night Lexington and Danville to St. Louis, also Pullman Sleeper through from Danville to St. Louis. The Southern Railway is 23 miles the shortest from Louisville to Nashville and forty-three miles the shortest to St. Louis. tf

### How's This?

## MILLERSBURG ITEMS.

Job printing neat and cheap, give me a call. R. M. CALDWELL.

FOR RENT.—Rooms suitable for housekeeping. Apply to MILLER & BEST.

Mr. G. W. Judy sold on Tuesday a vacant lot to Bell Glen, colored, for \$1,275.

Dr. J. D. Best has rented the Baptist parsonage and will move to it Monday or Tuesday.

Miss Lida Litsa, of Bardstown, arrived Wednesday as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. P. Wadell.

Mrs. S. C. Carpenter returned from Louisville last Saturday, where she has been for the last two weeks.

Mrs. J. C. Leer left Tuesday for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. R. P. Hopper, of Maysville. She will return Saturday.

Say! Don't forget that the dish-harrow we sell can be converted into a tongueless if you want a tongueless.

PEALE COLLIER & CO.

Miss Lula McNamara will arrive today from the Conservatory of music at Cincinnati to attend the commencement with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Dimmitt.

We have just received a car of Black Bear nut coal. It is the best on earth for cooking purposes. It burns clean; no ashes or cinders.

PEALE COLLIER & CO.

John Judy, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Judy, is quite sick.

Miss Matting, a pupil of M. F. C., left Wednesday for her home at Fort Thomas.

The ball game between M. I. and Kentucky University has been postponed until Monday.

We have put in a standard line of pianos and organs and guarantee satisfaction. Call and inspect. Buy from us and we will save you money.

BROWN & MURRAY.

I have several vacant rooms in the flat adjoining my residence, which are for rent. They are conveniently arranged for two families. For further particulars call on Mrs. Lou F. Conway.

The many friends of Dr. G. D. Judy will learn with surprise of his marriage Tuesday afternoon to Mrs. Lida E. Middleton, of Kirksville, at the home of Elder McClelland, of Richmond, Ky. He and his bride will probably be in Millersburg, Saturday evening.

Among those who attended the Knight Templar Conclave at Maysville Wednesday and Thursday are the following: Sir Knight and Mrs. W. V. Shaw, Sir Knight and Mrs. O. R. Rankin and daughter, Miss Katherine; Sir Knight J. B. Cray and daughter, Miss Louise, and Miss Ethel Johnson; Sir Knights W. M. Miller, J. G. Smedley and A. C. Ball; Sir Knight B. A. Neal and Miss Bell T. Judy. Messrs. W. G. McClinton, J. Hunter and W. M. Vimont.

Mrs. Gillespie, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of Mrs. G. W. Kemper.

Remember I have a full supply of vegetables for your commencement dinner.

LOUIS VIMONT.

Mrs. T. M. Purnell has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Frank Collier, of Clintonville, who has been threatened with pneumonia.

I have just received a fine line of Haviland and Decorated China. Prices right.

LOUIS VIMONT.

Mrs. Gaither Smith, of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Gains Dudley, of Carlisle, were guests Saturday of Mrs. W. D. McIntyre.

Try Heekins Coffee if you want the best. It is as good as any and better than some.

LOUIS VIMONT.

Miss Bingham, lady principal of M. F. C. for several years, gives up her position for a more lucrative one. Miss Bingham has made many friends while here and her absence will be indeed conspicuous, especially in her church and Missionary Society. Misses Shepherd, Dickson, Sharp and Phillips also retire.

All persons having visitors during commencement are requested to leave their names at the postoffice or my home. Home phone 82.

R. M. CALDWELL.

Correspondent Bourbon News.

One of the most interesting features connected with the commencement of M. F. C. is the Alumnae meeting Saturday morning. This is the fiftieth commencement of the college. In 1857 there were four graduates, three are still living and are expected to be present at these exercises. Every effort has been put forth to induce every graduate of the institution to attend in the afternoon from half past 1 to 3. The alumnal will receive their friends and the friends of the institution at the college. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Beggars and Weather.

"What weather is best for our business? Why, winter weather," said the beggar. "Sure, winter makes people generous to the poor. In summer people have an idea that everybody can get along somehow. It's warm then, you know, and they think the poor won't suffer anyway. But the colder the weather the warmer it makes people's hearts, and the more they give them in some ways. The one drawback to my particular line of business in winter is that in cold weather everybody goes about in the streets with gloves on and overcoat buttoned up, and men that would put down their names for a good sum on a subscription list indoors, where they could give it in comfort, are not so ready to drag off their gloves and drag open their coats and go down in their jeans for a nickel out of doors. Even with this drawback, and it's a big one, I do better in winter than in summer. But if it wasn't for that in winter I'd get rich."—New York Sun.

Long Distance Skee Races.

As a test of skill, strength and endurance it would be difficult to beat the long distance skee races in Norway and Sweden. Of these contests the most severe is undoubtedly the twelve mile race over the mountains which opens the great annual "Snow Derby" at Holmenkollen, about four miles from Christalnla. In this race, which begins with a steep ascent of 400 to 500 feet, the skee lobner has to jump clefts and ravines, to hop over fallen tree trunks and overcome every kind of obstacle that man can devise; to rush down steep declivities and to make his devious way through mountain forests until he reaches the goal, triumphant, but utterly exhausted. Considering the arduous nature of these contests, some of the performances are remarkable. Thus the winner of an international speed competition held at Stockholm covered the course of forty miles at an average speed of eight and one-half miles an hour.

The Way to Keep Posted.

You must read a great many books to keep so well acquainted with current publications?

"No," answered Miss Cayenne. "I don't take time to read books. It would interfere with the constant study of the advertisements that is necessary to keep really informed."

Washington Star.

His Definitions.

"Faith," said Brother Williams, "is de faculty what kin turn de song er a sawmill into de halland er de angels."

"An' what is hope?"

"Hope is de faculty what keeps you lookin' for somethin' you never gits."

Atlanta Constitution.

A Man Worth Knowing.

"There's a man who could be one of the country's greatest poets if he wished."

"And he isn't?"

"No."

"Introduce me."—Cleveland Press.

Walking.

Men occasionally walk well, but all ought to walk better. Women are a despair. They shuffle, stride, waddle, prance, scurry and think it no disgrace to walk like a mechanical toy.—London Lady.

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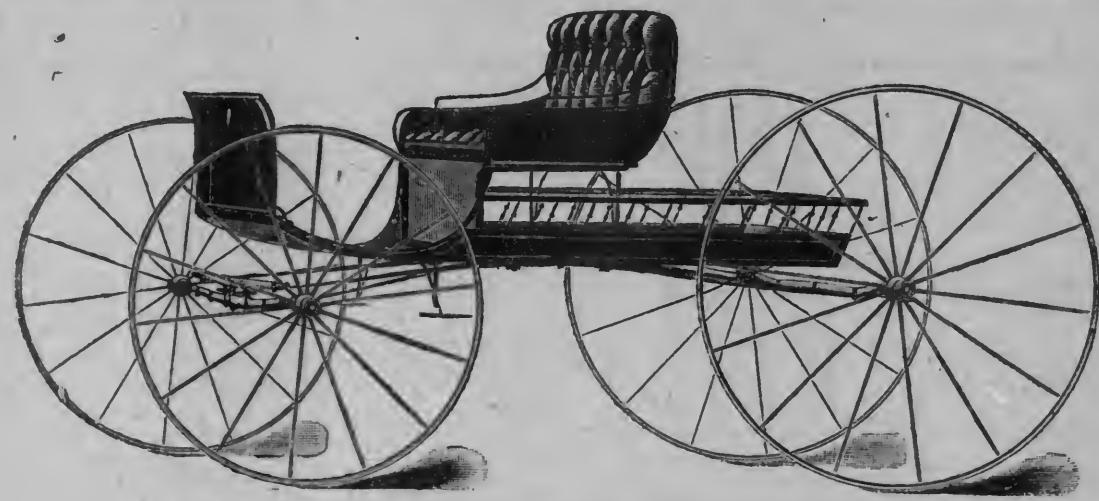
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